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COMMUNICATION SYSTEM WITH CDMA SUBSCRIBER SEPARATION

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

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- 1. (Amended) A method of allocating channels in a communications system having
code division multiple access (CDMA) subscriber separation, comprising:
deriving CDMA codes for allocating communication channels for data links in the
communication system using a tree structure;

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